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## TELEGRAPHIC.

REGINA, Sept. 7.

Amendments to ballot bill passed Wednesday.

Prorogation expires about end of next week.

Executive will confirm agreement between Town of Edmonton and electric light company passed Tuesday.

Magrath's bill to regulate operation of coal mines for protection of lives of miners considered at length in committee on Wednesday night session.

Estimates were voted Monday morning without division and no debate, except on items. This concedes office to Haultain.

## LOCAL

Renard &amp; Kiel are painting their shop front.

The new hotel at South Edmonton is nearing completion. It looks well.

The Rev. Chas. Cunningham is said to be returning to England in October.

G. W. Hislop, manager for the Hudson Bay store will go east on to-morrow's train to buy good for the fall trade.

The front of Ross' hardware store is still in the hands of the painter. When finished the store will be a credit to the town.

At the sale of condemned mounted police horses held at Fort Saskatchewan on Thursday last small paces was the order of the day.

The Fire Brigade band will be in attendance from 7 to 10 at the Church of England picnic which come off to-morrow at Groat's creek.

Tenders are being asked for the building of the new BULLETIN office, also S. S. Taylor's new building. Both are to be built of brick.

Not a farmer is to be seen in the town. All are busy cutting their grain. Strangers coming in from the country report large yields all round.

GLOVER &amp; Andrews have moved into their new store opposite the post office. They have everything pertaining to a first class music store.

THE Edmonton conservative association held their annual meeting at Robertson's hall on Friday evening last. Dr. Wilson was again elected to the chair.

The trenches for the Methodist Parsonage have been dug and the foundations begun. The new Baptist church is also well under way and the frame going up.

Eggs are selling in town at 25¢ a dozen. Potatoes 25¢ a bushel. Flour, Ogilvie's Strong Baker \$2.75, Patent Hungarian \$3, XXXX \$2 per hundred. Cheese 12½¢ per pound.

The party of sports who went to out to Cooking lake on Saturday taking a cook and tents &amp;c. with them are having a great time, and killing and eating ducks galore. When they return we shall expect to see them sprouting feathers.

At the police court August 28th, before Insp. Synder J. P. and F. H. Sache J. P., Magher was charged with being drunk and disorderly. Fined \$5.00 and cost. August 31st, one Matchesis, charged with supplying liquor to the Indians. Pleaded guilty and sentenced to two months hard labor. September 2nd, William Calder same charge 3 months hard labor.

We have received a letter from Montana written by a former resident of Fort Saskatchewan enclosing the article called the "Exodus from Canada to the United States, which we have pleasure in printing. The writer describes the financial condition of the silver states as something awful. In Montana the most of the mills and mines are shut down, and thousands have been thrown out of work. He thinks the emigration on this account from the states this fall, to Canada will be immense.

From F. Shaw we learn that the late D. Ross of Ottawa who was found dead in a field at Hamilton, Ontario, under circumstances that point to foul play was about to become a resident of Edmonton and engage here in mixed farming. In fact had sold his business interests in Ottawa and was on his way here at the time he met his death. He was a cousin of F. Fraser Tims, and described by the Ottawa papers as a young man of exemplary habits and good business principles, whose death was a shock and a surprise to everybody. We only hope if it was a case of murder that the miscreants may be swiftly brought to justice, and we sympathize deeply with his friends.

AUG HARDY, who came in on last Thursday train with E. Holm from Winnipeg to collect samples of grain and grasses for the C. P. R. will remain here till Tuesday next. He has been out principally in the neighborhood of Clover Bar and Stony Plain, but yesterday went out in the direction of the Sturgeon. The country all round in the growth of its vegetation has few exceeded his expectations, taking it all through he has not seen a bad or an indifferent crop in the course of his drives. He has seen wheat fields that will yield quite 50 to 60 bushels to the acre, barley the same, looking fine in color and quantity, and oats that would run up to at least a hundred bushels. Mr. Hardy informs us he has gathered peat vine, 7 feet long, red top six feet long, swamp grass five and a half feet long, and lots of very pretty June grass. Wild vetches he says are in great abundance everywhere, just covered with pods. Everything indicates how prolific the soil and the climate are in Northern Alberta, for nowhere can you drive without encountering a luxuriant growth of upland grass, and wild flowers in endless variety. The only drawback Mr. Hardy sees against it is this, that when you put a prairie chicken you have to hunt such a while before you can find it, the flora being so thick, and affording such cover. The car Mr. Hardy is filling up will be shipped from here to Winnipeg, there the grass and grains will be sorted and arranged in bundles by men who make a speciality of that sort of work, and distributed in cases principally through Ontario. Some of the grain will be taken for the C. P. R.'s special exhibition car which travels through the East in charge of Mr. Holm. Mr. Hardy is more than pleased with the samples he has got, and considers they will make a fine showing.

To-day is the birthday of our contemporary, The Times, which from now on will appear in a weekly guise under the able editorship of Mr. J. B. Spurr. May it have a long life, may it pass easily through its teething period, noted for its succinctness and resplendence with news and wit as befits a community like Edmonton. May it never know the troubles incident to early childhood, may it survive the misfortune of a premature death, may it live, bloom and blossom, a credit to itself and the party it represents.

A social in aid of the Methodist church at South Edmonton was held in the church there on Tuesday evening last. Robert McKernan took the chair and a good programme was gone through. First there was a selection from the choir, followed by a speech by Mr. Elmett, Mrs. Hockley a solo accompanied by Mr. Spurr, speech by Mr. Hanna, duet by Miss Gainer and Mr. Perry, solo by Mrs. Peters, speech by Mr. Peck, solo by Mr. Mitchell. An excellent supper was then served under the management of the ladies. After supper Mr. Spurr and Mr. Oliver May gave organ and concert music, and more songs and recitations followed. The affair was a thorough success and did not break up till nearly 12 o'clock.

An accident happened on Monday night to Mayor McCauley's mail team, by which he nearly lost a valuable horse, one of a pair he had just sold. The team were over on the south side drawn up at the station, waiting for the mail. In fact one bag had been put in, and those with the wagon were after the rest, when the engine backed up and the horses took fright. They bolted off at a rapid rate down the track. After running a couple of miles the off one stumbled and fell, striking its head against the rail with terrific force, and it was left lying there for dead. The other was unharmed. On their way to the depot, the horse they had left with its skull smashed in was heard to whinny and going back they found it sitting up on its haunches. The horse was brought over to Mr. McCauley's stables and will probably recover. The wagon was but little damaged. Under no circumstance should a team be left standing unhitched unless there is someone by to watch it.

An important decision effecting the boundary of the town of Edmonton was recently given in the case of the Town of Edmonton vs. Robinson, which shows pretty clearly that a boundary in the meaning of the law is that which is clearly defined and immovable, and not something, a bar for instance subject to change or alteration by tide or other causes. On the information of P. C. Campbell, acting in behalf of the town council, before John Cameron, J. P., D. C. Robinson was charged with having violated the by-law regulating the licensing of drays and teams. The facts were that in the month of July, Mr. Robinson hauled certain rafts of lumber from a point on or near Ross' Bar, his team at the time standing in two feet of water. For these teams he had not taken out a license. The town contended that he hauled the lumber from a point within the municipality. The act of incorporation places the north bank of the Saskatchewan river as the southern boundary of the town. The town contended that this point being below high and low water mark was on the bank and was within the town limits. The defendant contended that he was outside of the low water mark and in the river, and second, it mattered not whether he was outside the water mark or no, as the cut bank and high water mark constituted the bank of the river and the boundary of the town, consequently he hauled from a point without the town limits and was not liable for same. His worship after considering the matter a week decided in favor of the defendant, but consented to state the point of law for the consideration of Judge Rouleau. N. D. Beck appeared for the defendant.

The Stock consists of the following stallions—Emlyn Pasha, Sir Michael, Carnwath, British Coin, Cyclone, Bolted Knight, Lord Aberdeen, Kirkdale Chieftain and Guy Fawkes. Mares—Lady Kirkhill, Neronicus, Jess III, Lady Lee, Lella, Adeline, Patti, Besse, Dolly, Guelph, Lady Erskine, Albani, Lady Lee, Lady Kirkhill II, Jenny Lind, Countess Lee, Baby 10, Fairchild, Black Brook, Barnhill Maid, and 40 Youngsters from 1 to 5 years of age.

The Sale will be held at J. D. McGregor & Co's Stables, Bowes and 13th Street, Brandon.

Stock can be viewed at Stables 4 days prior to sale.

Please note this notice will have catalogues for inspection.

TERMS ON Thorough-bred stock, 20 per cent. on January 1st, 1894. Other stock, 50 per cent. on January 1st, 1894. Balance December 1st, 1895. Approved, A. D. 1893.

Chas. Carey, one of the C. P. R. mongrel engineers, and well known to the travelling public, arrived in Winnipeg from the Rockies, on his way to visit with his family the World's Fair and the east.

In a debate at the English House of Commons, Sir Edward Grey said that England would insist on the independence of Siam.

Cholera is reported to have broken out in Liverpool, England.

Yellow fever has broken out in Tampa, Florida, U. S. A.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LOST.—A Gold Pocket Watch with Masonic device on it. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to BULLETTIN Office.

FINE ARTS.—On and after Sept. 26th Mrs. M. Herbert will be prepared to give lessons in all branches of Fine Art; painting, in Oil, Water Colors, Etc., at Robertson Hall, on Wednesday and Saturday, from 4 to 6 p.m. Terms on application.

## AUCTION SALE

## MILNE &amp; TURNBULL'S

AUCTION MART ON

Saturday, 16th Sept., 1893.

Furniture, Harness, Buggies, &c. Also a number of Cedar Doors, Windows, Sashes, frames, &c.

Parties having surplus articles to dispose of now is the time. See further Advertisement and Bills.

## PIC-NIC.

The Church of England Sunday School will Pic-Nic at Groat's Grove on Friday September the 8th, 1893. Tickets 25 cents. Conveyance 10 cents. All are welcome.

The Fire Brigade Band will be in attendance from 7 o'clock until 10.

## NOTICE.

THE LIQUOR LICENSE ORDINANCE 1891-92 AND AMENDMENTS NORTHWEST TERRITORIES.

The Board of License Commissioners for License District No. 8 will meet in James McDonald's Real Estate Office, Edmonton, on Friday, September 26th, 1893, at 10 o'clock a.m., for consideration of the following applications, viz.—

Frank Mathias, Allison Hotel, Lacombe, Hotel License.

Joseph Couture, Building situated on Lot 63, on First Street, St. Albert, Wholesale License.

Henry James Holbrook, Etched Hotel, Fort Saskatchewan, Hotel License.

J. C. POPE,  
Chief-Licenses Inspector.

Dated at Regina this 1st day of Sept., A. D. 1893.

## AUCTION SALE

OF THOROUGH-BRED PEDIGREE GLYDEDALE STALLIONS AND MARES, WITH 40 HALF-BREED YOUNGSTERS,

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Temporary offices at F. S. Glover's old stand, opposite the Massey-Harris Co't.

The overture steamer Sarnia of the Allan Line has been reported in tow of the Montevideo heading for Brow Head.

JASPER AVENUE.

## MAPS OF EDMONTON.

A Limited number of Lithographed maps of the Town of Edmonton for sale at \$2 a piece.

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## PUBLIC NOTICE,

is hereby given that the Municipality of the Town of Edmonton are applying to the Legislative Assembly of the Territories at their present session for an ordinance authorizing the said Municipality to construct, maintain, equip and operate a tramway for the carrying of passengers and freight by the motive power of steam or electricity, and for the construction of the said tramway and in the vicinity beyond it particularly to a point at or near the Northerly terminus of the Calgary and Edmonton railway and authorizing the Municipality to empower a company to do the same.

Dated this 24th August, A. D. 1893.

BECK & McNAMARA,

Advocates for the

Town of Edmonton.

## Notice of Removal.

James Gibbons of South Edmonton has removed to Lot 10, sub-division River Lot 8, Plan C, Edmonton. In case of protest within 14 days. Commissioners meet at Edmonton, September 25th, ten o'clock.

J. C. POPE.

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## SHERIFF'S SALE.

NORTHWEST TERRITORIES.

BY-WIT: Supr. Ct. of the Northwest Territories, the Hon. W. T. N. A. Judicial Assessor, directed the sale of the lands of Smyth Parker, I have seized and taken into execution the following lands:

The southeast one-quarter of section No. eighteen, township thirty-nine, range twenty-six, west of the fourth principal meridian, in the District of Alberta in the Northwest Territories of the Dominion of Canada, containing one hundred and sixty acres be the same, more or less, which shall exist for sale on Wednesday, the thirteenth day of September next at Sheriff's office, Edmonton, at the hour of 10 o'clock, p.m.

Sheriff's Office, 1st August, 1893. W. S. ROBERTSON, Deputy Sheriff.

## BY-LAW NO. 56.

A By-Law to provide for borrowing the sum of \$6,070 upon the credit of the Municipality.

Whereas it is expedient that there should be raised by the Municipality of the town of Edmonton the sum of \$6,070 to enable the Municipality to pay certain amounts temporarily borrowed and expended for the following purpose that is to say: Purchase of Chemical fire engine \$1,601.55, purchase of hooks and ladders \$1,000.00, purchase of apparatus \$885.63, purchase of site for bridge \$358.90, cost of construction of bridge over Rat Creek \$327.32, and cost of and incidental to land expropriated for the purpose of improving Jasper Avenue and Namayo Avenue \$2,967.60 amounting together to \$8,071.00 the interest whereon amounts to \$300 making the total of \$8,370.00.

And whereas the value of the ratable property in the Municipality, according to the last revised assessment roll required to be raised sufficient to pay the said interest and which shall be paid annually for the period of five years.

And whereas it is expedient to provide for the repayment of the said principal sum by the creation of an equal yearly sinking fund.

And whereas the total amount which will be required to be raised annually by a special rate for repaying the said debt of \$8,070 by means of a sinking fund as aforesaid, and the interest thereon as aforesaid is \$787.60.

And whereas the annual special rate on the dollar on the ratable property in the Municipality according to the last revised assessment roll required to be set apart for the payment of the said principal sum of \$8,070, a principal rate of eighty-five one-hundredths of a mill on the dollar, over and above all other rates and taxes shall be levied in the same manner and at the same time as the general municipal tax upon which the ratable property in the Municipality annually for the period of 10 years from the said 1st day of November, 1893, is to be assessed.

(1) This By-Law is to take effect on the first day of November, 1893.

(2) The Major and Clerk of the Municipality may borrow on the credit of the Municipality the sum of \$6,070 and may issue debentures of the Municipality to that amount in sums of not less than \$100 each, and repayable within 10 years from the 1st day of November, 1893, with interest at the rate of five percent per annum, payable half yearly; such debentures to be payable at the office of the Treasurer of the Municipality of the Town of Edmonton, Alberta, N. W. T., and to have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest.

(3) For the purpose of paying the amount for which will be required to pay the said interest and which shall be set apart for the payment of the said principal sum of \$8,070, a principal rate of eighty-five one-h

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**FRANK OLIVER,** — PROPRIETOR.  
**EDMONTON BULLETIN, SEPTEMBER 7th, 1893.**

#### THE HARVEST SEASON.

And the season of harvesting is upon us. Now is the time the farmer throws off his coat and buckles in with both hands and both feet too. If any evidence were needed of how busy the farmers is just now with his crops the deserted condition of the street would show it. At present he is a "rara avis," and only to be found out in the fields by the side of his binder, like a general at the head of his column. That this season's crop will excel last years in quality and quantity everything indicates. On all hands we hear reports of exceptional yields of wheat, barley and oats—there have been no frosts to damage the crops, and it is real royal harvest weather. Now it the time a stranger entering the country would see it at its best, see in one short drive such a prolific growth of cereals, and wild grasses as would astonish him come from where he may. On all sides one beholds evidence of the richness of the soil, and the ripening and growing powers of Alberta's climate. The bush swarms with flowers that a naturalist would go in raptures over—wild roses nod their heads at you where'er you tread, and out on the prairie a hundred varieties of brightly tinted grasses seem to vie with each other as to who shall wear the crown. Oats that will run as high as 100 bushels an acre, and barley and wheat that go 50 and 55 isn't at all bad, and is what many of the farmers have got. Never did the harvest open more propitiously for them, and never did the country look better that it does today. All that Northern Alberta lacks is a market to dispose of its wares. This rests with God and the C. P. R. to give us, and till they do give it to us, all seems but love's labor thrown away.

#### THE GREAT C. & E.

"How late is the train?" This has come to be the common question on every Monday and Thursday. That it should be on time, or is on time nobody for one moment thinks or expects. Repetition invariably makes' the rule, and the rule of the C. & E. or "catch me easy" line, is pull into Edmonton anywhere from 2 to 4 hours late. When it is reported over the wires that No. so and so, left Calgary on time, and the intelligence is disseminated through the town, surprise is plainly to be read on the faces of the people you meet. "Did you hear the train was on time to night?" one asks of the other incredulously, as though such a thing couldn't be, and if the answer comes in the affirmative, the rejoinder would be "No! you don't mean it, how did it manage that?"

This is rather a tough situation for Edmonton to be in. A poor ineffective mail service, so arranged that it is little better than one mail a week, and trains that are late, devilish late, and punctually late at that. The importance of the place, the way the country is filling up around us, the disadvantages of the business men of the town are laboring under, all demands that the C.P.R. who are the lessees of the line should give the matter a little attention.

"Kick about it," says one. "Agitate," says another, "petition 'em," says a third but when it comes to be talked over, and threshed out the conclusion always arrived at is that it is folly to buck against a brick wall, and that a petition to quicken the time from Calgary or to effect any other reform, would have no more weight with Van Horne and the directors of the C. P. R. than the whining of a poodle dog on its master. If this is the case then it is a lamentable state of affairs. That a whole country side should be at the mercy of an all powerful corporation is something that ought not to exist in Canada anyway in the nineteenth century. It always means a clog on the wheel of progress, the slow settling up of the

district so located, and a terrible war to get rates quoted you sufficiently reasonable to ship your goods out of the place. That it is so we don't affirm, for until the matter has been properly and officially placed before the C. P. R. no one has a right to say what they will and what they won't do. Doubtless with them it is a matter of business. If it would pay them to run three trains a week between Calgary and here, probably they would do so, but it is a sure thing that their rates on all farm and vegetable product between Edmonton and the Pacific coast is not stimulating to the industry of Northern Alberta, and if they want more business, more traffic they should help the people to make it. Admitting for the present that there is not quite travel enough to run an extra train, what is there to prevent them cutting down the time between Calgary and Edmonton, and arriving at 8 in the evening instead of 10 and 11 o'clock. If the train came in at 8 and was on time, persons could get their mail the same night and by making a push if they wished to do so get an answer back on the same train, thus saving several days. This under the present service is an impossibility, and the positive inconvenience of it, is only known to those who experience it again and again. As a matter of fact there is not such a great raft of time saved by the present mail system over and above that in vogue during the old staging days. Before the C. & E. came to Edmonton, the stage brought the mail from Calgary every 5 days, and it ran on time too, at much less cost to the government than what they are paying now. Under the charter of the road, the government pays to the C. & E. \$80,000 a year to carry its mail. In return what do we get? A service of two sickly trains a week, that jolt along at a ghastly funeral trot, though they roll and appear to be travelling at an unparalleled rate of speed, and that arrives gentle readers, with a great deal of effort, 3, 4 or 5 hours behind their scheduled time. This comes of trying to make one train do the work of two and run it south from Calgary to Macleod between every trip it makes North to us. Either we should have an extra train a week, or the time should be reduced so that it gets here earlier in the evening. The present evil is a crying shame, and if it is the policy of the C. P. R. not to spend a cent on the C. & E. line while they are running it, because as some say at the expiration of their lease they may not buy it, why the policy is a penny wise and a pound foolish one, injurious to the whole of the country North here and to themselves as well. They are working their immigration department for all it is worth, and doing we believe, all they can to get people to come in so that they may dispose of their land of course, but never mind that. What they are making in one way they are losing in another. There is no getting out of it. The present train service is a disgrace the mildest way you can put it, and the present freight rate south and west though lower than last year mitigates against the farmer to such a degree as to make him almost dependent on the local market for the sale of what he grows. Is this helping Northern Alberta? We have an idea it is not. A short time ago we said to a C. P. R. official—"your trains on this branch are always late." "Oh!" he said with a grin, meant to imply a great deal. "That's a good sign—it shows there is lots of traffic going into the town." Then said we—"Isn't it about time—if there is so much freight going into the place that one train can't handle, it that we should be given a better service?" His answer was—"Thats a horse of another color."

A special freight train travelling at a rapid rate over the C. P. R. passed through Winnipeg last Tuesday morning from the Pacific coast for Montreal. The cargo consists of tea and other Asiatic freight, besides six cars of salmon from the Port & Winch company, British Columbia, as an experiment to the old country markets. This is the largest shipment of fresh salmon ever made from the Pacific province. The shipment consists of no less than six cars, aggregating 120,000 pounds. Railway officials state it is the biggest single shipment of its kind ever handled by any railway company on the continent.

Hon. D. H. Macmillan provincial treasurer, and Mrs Macmillan are expected early next week on return from their trip to Europe. They have been doing the World's fair on the way home,

The Canadian American published in Chicago—Has any one noticed signs of a financial panic in Canada? Are banks there tumbling into the hands of receivers? Has it been found that its street railways are wretched pieces of property—to heavy for the shoulders of the average capitalist? Must all these questions be answered in the negative? Truth directs that they shall be. The Dominion is weathering the storm like a veteran. She is proving that the wild cat operator has not during recent years, been allowed to boom speculative property into the clouds with the intention of swindling foreigners who have sought openings for capital within her borders. To-day Canada is sound to the core and seasonably sure of soon capturing many of the capitalists who have been bitten in the Argentine Republic as well as in Australia. The World's Fair will afford her the opportunity of placing her products before a critical and investing audience and with a reputation for honesty in descriptions of her natural resources the best result should follow. The investor in Argentine and Australian schemes will pay more attention to this continent hereafter, even now he is in the humor to transfer this money to North America."

All canneries on the Fraser River, shut down on the 31st ult. This years pack is the biggest on record, the latest estimate placing it at 471,000 cases. The largest previous pack was 303,875 cases put up in 1889. The pack on northern rivers will not exceed 80,000 cases, being smaller than the previous years.

#### South Edmonton.

##### BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

###### LEGAL

MERVYN MACKENZIE,  
BACHELIER, SOLICITOR, ADVOCATE, NOTARY PUBLIC, &c.  
Office—Whyte Avenue, South Edmonton.

###### MEDICAL

DR. BALDWIN. Office and residence, Hotel Edmonton.

#### Notice of Removal.

J. Gainer has removed his butcher business from Railhead street to Vogel's store, Whyte Avenue, South Edmonton.

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Hanging over its humble head.  
Where oh where is the mate I ween.  
Where can its owner now be seen?  
Found in the street a week ago,  
A single shoe with a fancy toe.

A single shoe—by a butcher boy  
Found with a burst of heartless joy.  
Who picked it up and tried it on  
But his foot was just one half too long.  
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A shoe—a shoe—not an ugly boot  
Only fit for a big galoot.  
But a number seven—spick and span  
Just the thing for a lady's man.  
Found in the street a week ago.  
A single shoe with a fancy toe.

How did it come on the pavement there?  
Where is the loser, wher oh where?  
The rightfull owner can have the same,  
By paying the charges that we claim.  
Found in the street a week ago,  
A single shoe with a fancy toe.

### NORTH WEST ASSEMBLY.

REGINA, August 29.

Lineham from the immigration committee reported in favor of arrangements being made for advertising the Territories in the Western World.

Several members gave notice of motions. Oliver moved a resolution asking the Dominion government to take steps for the preservation from extinction of the wood bison at Fort Smith and Fort Vermilion.

A message was received from the Lieutenant-governor laying on the table the public accounts for the year.

Haultain moved the second reading of the bill to amend the interpretation ordinance, to provide that standard time should be the legal time for the purpose of the ordinances of the Territories.

Cayley moved the second reading of the bill to incorporate the city of Calgary. The bill would not be pushed through unless further word were received from Calgary but in the meantime it might go through its several stages. The town required so many amendments to the present municipal ordinance from time to time that they thought it better to adopt a new charter altogether than to continually amend the present ordinance.

Oliver's bill to make formal amendments of the elections ordinance was read a second time.

Dill's bill respecting unincorporated towns was discussed at great length in committee of the whole and progress reported to allow of the incorporation of further amendments.

REGINA, August 31.

Haultain stated in reply to Davidson's question that the expense of enforcing the ordinance respecting infectious diseases of animals last year was \$1,403.80 actually expended and about £350 of liability still outstanding.

Prince asked the executive committee if Archbishop Tache had been asked to prepare a book on the Northwest for the Columbian exposition; if the works is printed, and if not, what has become of the manuscript.

Haultain replied that in December last the then executive did ask Archbishop Tache and other clergymen to prepare sketches on the Northwest. That as all the sketches desired were not received none were published, and that the manuscript would be returned to Archbishop Tache.

Magnath introduced a bill to regulate the operation of coal mines.

Jelly moved for an address to the Lieutenant-governor in council regarding employees of the government offices and their salaries in terms similar to that of his resolution of a few days ago.

Haultain moved the first reading of a bill to amend the ordinance regarding revenue and expenditure.

Cayley objected that he had already given notice of an ordinance on the same subject, and that a second ordinance on the same subject required amendment. Regarding the ordinance introduced by himself its purpose was only concerning the immediate future of the present assembly. As the ordinance now stood, expenditure could go on without a vote of the house, and in all probability another session would not be held during the life of the present house. By repeating that provision a session of the assembly would be necessary in June or July next and would give members time to oversee expenditures between the close of the session and the dissolution of the assembly.

Haultain agreed that the present provision gave opportunity for unconstitutional action such as the house had seen one pointed examples of during the past year or two. He was glad to see that the last speaker by his proposal was coming to a proper view of the case. While the ordinance as it stood was undesirable some provision was required whereby business would be carried on under certain circumstances. In his bill he had adopted the provisions contained in the statutes of Manitoba, Ontario and other provinces.

The bill to empower the town of Edmonton to construct a tramway was read a second time.

The bill respecting municipal assessment was considered at length in committee.

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Mowat objected to the name city being given as a distinction against other places in the Territories which the present population did not justify.

Oliver said the question of name was not so much a question of population as of powers. If the assembly was willing to grant the city powers asked for in the bill there was no reason why the name city should be withheld.

The section respecting enlargement of boundaries stood over for further information. Several clauses were agreed to and progress reported.

House adjourned at 5:30 to sit again at 8 p.m. the first evening sitting of the session.

EVENING SESSION,

August 31.

Tweed moved a resolution asking that the quarantine now being enforced on account of a disease amongst sheep in the Medicine Hat district be relaxed so as not to effect the sale of healthy sheep which had not been exposed to infection.

The Calgary city incorporation bill was considered in committee. The clause providing that a tax sale of lands shall clear the lands of all encumbrances was allowed to stand. It was pointed out that for the assembly to agree to such a provision would not only effect the security of lands in Calgary but would have a prejudicial effect on securities throughout the Territories. Nearly all the clauses of the bill were agreed to in committee.

REGINA, September 1.

Haultain moved for a sitting on Saturday evening.

Tweed's resolution regarding the quarantine of sheep was passed.

Oliver moved the first reading of a bill to provide for a land tax in the Territories.

Insinger moved the several readings of a bill amending the ordinance of last session which exempted the Manitoba Northwestern railway from taxation for twenty years in case they built 150 miles of line in five years.

He explained that he thought it the duty of the house to take cognizance of the change of circumstances in the affairs of the railway, when the bill of last session was passed the charter of the company required the construction of a certain number of miles of railway in each year.

As soon as the assembly granted them exemption the company secured an amendment to their rail-

way, freeing them from the construction work rendered necessary by their former charter.

The present amendment was drawn as to compel them to abide by the terms of their present charter if they were to retain their exemption.

A plea had been made to him privately that the company should be treated leniently because they were in an

straightened circumstances. This argument should have no more effect on the case of a railway company than in the case of the settler who was in like circumstances.

But at any rate it was amply proven during recent legal proceedings in Winnipeg that the company was able to pay current ex-

penses.

Cayley opposed the second reading on the ground that the passage of the bill would be a breach of faith with the company as it materially altered the provisions of a definite bargain.

Haultain said that the company existed by reason of its charter and according to the provisions of its charter. The assembly had made a bargain with the company when building a certain charter. The company now held a new charter which plainly contemplated a failure to carry out the bargain.

It was the duty of the house under such circumstances to provide that there should at least be no further drawing back on the part of the company.

McKay, Tweed and Mitchell opposed the second reading and Dill and Oliver supported it.

On motion of Insinger made by request, the debate was adjourned.

The bill to confirm an agreement between the Edmonton electric light company and the town of Edmonton was passed through committee of the whole and stands for third reading on Monday. A hot discussion was brought on by Insinger demanding that the bill should only go into effect after a vote of the ratepayers had been taken as provided in the case of many by-laws, although the petition had been signed by over two-thirds of the ratepayers required to vote on debt-burden by-laws, with the object of preventing the establishment of a precedent for allowing such by-laws to go into effect without a vote.

Oliver said that the essential point of securing the assent of the necessary two-thirds of the ratepayers had been complied with and that in private unlike public legislation each bill stood on its own merits and those of its surroundings, and that therefore a precedent was not necessarily established whether a vote was taken or not.

The bill to empower the town of Edmonton to construct a tramway was considered in committee and progress reported.

The statute labor and fire ordinance was considered in committee. The bill fixes statute labor districts at not more than a township in area and fixes the labor assessment at one day's work for each 100 acres of land held.

EVENING SESSION,

September 1.

The statute labor and fire district ordinance was considered in Committee of the whole and progress reported.

The bill respecting unincorporated towns was considered in committee of the whole and progress reported.

The amendments to the elections ordinance were considered in committee of the whole and the several clauses agreed to. The bill was held in committee to permit an amendment by Mr. Clinkskill to provide for stamping instead of initialing ballot papers.

House rose at 10:30.

### NOTICE.

Edmonton Cemetery Company

(LIMITED.)

An Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Edmonton Cemetery Company (Limited) will be held in the Council Chamber, Edmonton, on Wednesday the 27th day of September next at the hour of 4 p.m., when the annual reports will be submitted and the directors for the ensuing year elected, as well as other business of importance transacted.

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## HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Monday.

Jasper—J. E. Tindall, G. L. Drehl, Toronto; William Coe, Fort Saskatchewan.  
Alberta—John Kelly, Egg lake; Major Griesbach, A. Lipuburn, Mr. Hollister, Michigan; A. Burk, Toronto; W. Maloney, Calgary; F. Lindsay, Winnipeg.  
Queens—A. J. Chisholm, W. J. Chisholm, Kaslo; L. Dumaine, Portland, Oregon; R. Schedel, Breslau, Ontario.

## TOWN COUNCIL.

WEDNESDAY, August 30.  
Present the Mayor and Councillors McDougall, McLeod and Gallagher.

McLeod—Strang—moved that the clerk be instructed to write W. A. Oliver asking him what salary he would require for the engineering of the fire department.

Report read from the health officer.

McDougall—Strang—moved that the report of finance committee be adopted.

Strang—Gallagher—that the \$15,000 debentures be issued in 30 bonds of \$500 each.

McLeod—McDougall—that J. McDonald be instructed to extend the sidewalk in front of the fire hall to cover the tank man hole.

Strang—Gallagher—that the clerk be instructed to communicate with the electric light company for the purpose of finding out the cost of putting an electric light at the Lower ferry, and also with regard to moving their poles that are now in the street.

## FORT SASKATCHEWAN, ALBERTA.

In the year 1883 a slight, sharp featured young fellow, was employed at Swift Current, on the main line of the C. P. railway, assisting to load up wagons and carts with machinery, for Lamoureux Brothers, of this place—in exchange for his labor they were to give him his food and a ride up. After a journey across the prairie of some 450 miles his work was over. Here he was without money, unable to speak English, but full of energy, and perseverance, and always ready to take hold of any work he could obtain—he first worked for monthly wages—afterwards washed for gold on our river, for part of two seasons, from which he obtained some \$400 of gold, and this was the beginning of the career, and success of Mr. Leon Moret, who is now known to be one of the most prominent settlers in the whole of Northern Alberta.

To show what a hard working man, with intelligence can do, a visit to his farm here will reveal the following—he owns 720 acres of land, 700 of which is fenced—he has 60 acres under crop this year, and, has just finished breaking 80 acres more—making a total of 140 acres broken, and ready for next year's crop—he has 100 head of cattle—14 horses—44 pigs—32 sheep. A good frame 1½ story dwelling house, 24x30 with a stone foundation under the whole building, 10 feet high, and his cellar is 16x24. Dairy building 14x14, milk house 12x16, dairy machinery with a capacity of 100 lbs of butter per day.

Grainery 24x30, horse stable 18x26, cow stable 26x26, milking shed 18x30. All the necessary machinery to start a cheese factory. Cattle sheds 20x400, calf sheds 20x200, mild cow stable 16x30, chicken house 12x12, farm hands dwelling 18x24, ice house in the side of a hill 20 feet, and, 14x14, store shed 12x16, lime kiln which burns 500 bushels. He has all the necessary agricultural implements such as a binder, mower and rake, brush plow, combination plow, seeder, cultivator, disc harrow, wagon, buckboard, water cart, 3 sets bob sleighs, 4 sets double harness, set of carpenter and blacksmith tools, (also full set of butchers tools for the carrying on of his beef contract with the Northwest mounted police, which he has now had for 4 years in succession.)

In addition to the above, there are numerous other things about the place, which of course have escaped the observation of the writer.

In 1890 Mr. Moret went to his old home in Switzerland, as an emigration delegate, and as a result of his efforts, 13 persons come out the following year, and he is still in correspondence with others who think of emigrating to our great Northwest.

Perhaps some of your readers may be dubious, about one man being able to accomplish so much, especially starting as Mr. Moret did, in 1883, without any capital. All that the writer can say is that there are at least 100 of us, who can vouch for the truth of it, and every visitor should come to Fort Saskatchewan and see his farm and be convinced.

It is to be regretted that we have not several thousand of such hard working, thirty, and enterprising men, scattered throughout the whole of the Northwest, so as to show the capability of the country, when properly worked.

Never in the history of our district, have the yields of wheat, oats, barley, potatoes &c., been better, no damage done by frost, and magnificent harvesting weather.

What are the Patrons of Industry, all the agricultural societies, and also the Edmonton Board of Trade, doing with reference to cheaper grain and vegetable export rates, between Edmonton and Calgary, and British Columbia? The present tariff of the Calgary and Edmonton railway is out of all reason, and prohibits exports—and the 5¢ a mile passenger tariff, is an outrage and bare-faced robbery. How long are we all going to stand it? As it was the Dominion government which gave the C. P. R. the monopoly in Northern Alberta, we would now respectfully beg to ask it, to see that some kind of reasonable freight, and passenger rates, and decent car accommodation, and also mail service is given Northern Alberta. The government is paying the C. & E. railway \$80,000 per year for the most God forsaken mail service in the Dominion. It arrives on Mondays and Thursdays, at 8:15 p. m. and leaves the following mornings at 7:15 thus preventing any letters being answered, and giving virtually, one outgoing mail a week. Under the old mail stage we had the same at a quarter of the cost to the country.

2nd September, 1893.

## THE EXODUS FROM CANADA TO THE UNITED STATES.

(From an occasional correspondent)

The following is an item which appeared from the pen of Goldwin Smith, in the Nineteenth Century, touching on the exodus from Canada to the United States. He however omits to take any mention of the great Exodus from the United States to Canada during the past few years, which was policy on his part no doubt. "He says : The exodus from Canada to the United States increased. Already there are a million of Canadian on the south of the line. Some villages in Quebec have lost a great part of their population. In Ontario almost all the Towns and Villages are stationary or going backward. The American Consulate in Toronto has had little else to do during the past year than dispatch emigrants to the United States. In the city 5,000 houses are vacant, and though this is partly due to over speculation in land, and overbuilding, it is partly due to immigration. It was the president of a conservative association who said the other day that soon "The Americans would have all the men and we should have all the mud". Toronto is the stronghold of the British sentiment and of the Canadian protectionism which finds fervent love of the mother country available as a safeguard against American competition. Englishmen who visit Canada form their notions of Canadian sentiment from what they hear at Toronto or Ottawa, which, as the official city, is of course the centre of attachment to the existing system. If they went among the farmers, especially in the border countries, they might form a different estimate." So says Goldwin Smith. Now anyone who has ever taken any interest in immigration matters knows perfectly well that the exodus for the past few years has been decidedly favorable to Canada, and not to the U. S. And it will be more so from this date and don't you forget it. We well know what Ex-President Harrison did to stop immigration into Canada. His tricks are pretty well known to settlers who left Washington State to go to Edmonton district, and we well know what caused the excessive railroad rates, and who put into force the act compelling immigrants going into Canada to hold their stock on the boundary for 90 days. But this was of no avail, they had heard of the country they were going to and go they would. Thomsen left Dakota in 1891 and 92 to settle in the Canadian Northwest. Hundreds left Washington State last year and this summer for the same district. Washington which had been once counted one of richest and best farming and ranching states in the union. It was true that some of the Dakota immigrants were unsatisfied with the appearance of the Edmonton country as they were led to believe that it was entirely a wheat growing country by unscrupulous parties claiming to be immigrant agents. Delegates from Dakota, which I regret to say were a very poor specimen of the kind, returned to Dakota with scandalous reports of the Edmonton country, circulated principally by the petticoat class of delegate we so frequently see floating around. They said the flies were horribly bad, it was chilly, there was a good many swamps, etc, where they had been and they would not care to make their home in such a country. I recollect a letter I saw in the BULLETIN last spring penned by one of Dakota's woman delegates who would make a very able correspondent for the Police Gazette or Beadle's Dime library, she makes mention of the miserable condition of the Edmonton country, entering into details of the great number of horse flies, mosquitoes, swamps, snowstorms, and summer frosts the country enjoyed during her sojourn in that vicinity. She winds up in a very dramatic manner by saying, "She's going right back to Dakota, the land of her birth, where the birds are singing, the wheat is freezing, and the cyclone is well on its way. I know for a fact that the article written by this woman no doubt made a hit among her female friends and some of the male portion of the tribe she represented and was backed up by the delegates who hitched up their cayuses and went into the timber and brush in the Beaver Hills in search of a farm and then returned to Edmonton very indignant, and pronounced the country useless, and fit for nothing but Indians. Returning to Dakota shortly after they commenced a regular siege, and vile communication appeared in their local papers denouncing Northern Alberta as a farming and stock raising country. I recollect a letter in particular which appeared in a Dakota paper? It mentioned the number of delegates that returned from the Canadian Northwest with unsatisfactory reports of the country, and the false representations made to them by agents of the Canadian Government, which was the essence of falsehood, one gentleman in particular, who I believe is now a resident of Alberta, was very unanimous in his declarations against Alberta, to which he had paid a flying visit and returned to Dakota only to back to go Alberta, where he found a home that disgusted Dakota all to pieces and was glad to get out of the country where he continually met with losses by either frost, drought, or cyclone.

Summing up everything the financial state of the United States to-day must sooner or later drive thousands of its population to other countries and undoubtedly the Canadian Northwest will receive a good share of the exodus. Crop reports from Minnesota and Dakota lately do not speak very highly of their farming quality. In conclusion, I earnestly say that the parties who have circulated the scandalous reports of the Canadian Northwest and the treatment they received at the hands of the government are nothing else but hypocrites, and are ever ready to take back at the first opportunity anything they have said, in order to become a resident of the country they denounced.

Yours respectively,  
A Canadian in Montana.

BIRTH—On September 7th, the city of Edmonton of a paper. Congratulations are extended.

## NOTICE.

Edmonton Cemetery Company  
(LIMITED).

An Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Edmonton Cemetery Company (Limited) will be held in the Court Chamber of the Courthouse on the 27th September next at the hour of 4 p.m. when the annual reports will be submitted and the directors for the ensuing year elected, as well as other business of importance transacted.

I. C. F. STRANG,

Sec. Treas.

## TRAIN TIME.

Train arrives at Edmonton Monday and Thursday evenings at 8:30, having left Calgary at 9:30 in the morning.

Train leaves every Tuesday and Friday morning at 7:15 and reaches Calgary at 6:15 in the evening.

Half hour stop for dinner at Red Deer going both ways.

Passengers going east make close connection at Calgary with the main line train going east and west. They reach Toronto at 6:30 a. m., on the fifth day after leaving Edmonton. They reach Montreal at 8:20 a. m. on the same day.

Passengers coming to Edmonton in order to catch Monday's train must leave Montreal at 8:50 p. m. on the preceding Wednesday, or Toronto at 10:30 p. m. on the preceding Saturday. Train leaves at 7 a. m. for Thursday's train, they must leave Montreal at 8:30 p. m. or Toronto at 10:30 p. m. on the preceding Saturday. Train leaves at 7 a. m. on Wednesday. The train from the east makes close connection at Calgary with the Edmonton train.

Passengers going west must live over in Calgary from Monday to Friday evenings until 9:20 the next morning. They reach Vancouver at 3:35 a. m. on the third day after leaving Edmonton.

Passenger cars—four hours from each Monday's train leave Vancouver at 10:45 a. m. on the preceding Saturday and lie over in Calgary from 7:15 p. m. until 9:30 a. m. on the following morning. To catch Thursday's train they must leave Vancouver at 10:45 a. m. on the preceding Tuesday.

The train leaves Calgary for Macleod on Wednesday and Saturday at 9:30 a. m. and reaches Macleod at 2:30 p. m. Returning it leaves Macleod at 5:30 p. m. and reaches Calgary at 10:50 p. m.

## MAIL TIME.

The mail arrives at Edmonton from the South on Monday and Thursday evenings at about 9 o'clock, and leaves for outlying posts as follows:

Clover Bar, Agridale, Fort Saskatchewan and St. Albert Monday and Thursday evenings after arrival of mail from south.

Morinville and Nemo, with the St. Albert mail on Monday's only, reaching destination on Tuesday.

Pakam and Saddle Lake, with the Fort Saskatchewan mail every alternate Monday, counting from June 5th.

Beaver Lake and Logan with the Fort Saskatchewan mail on the first Tuesday in each month.

Stony Plain on every Saturday.

The mail arriving in Edmonton office on Monday and Thursday evenings is delivered on Tuesday and Friday mornings.

Mails are made up at Edmonton for South Edmonton, West Saskatchewan, Lac La Biche, Wabasca, Red Deer, Innisfail, Bowdoin and Olds on the C. & E. line. The mail for Leduc, P. O. is made up at South Edmonton, and for Hulbreck at Calgary.

## HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS.

All even numbered sections excepting 8 and 26 are open for homestead entry (160 acres) by any person sole head of a family, or any male over the age of 18 years.

## ENTRY.

Entry may be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land to be taken is situated or if the landowner resides in the vicinity he may, on application to the Minister of the Interior, or the Commissioner of Dominion Lands, Winnipegan, receive authority for some one to be named by the intending settler near the local office to make the entry for him. Entry fee \$10, or if cancelled land \$20.

Under the present law homestead duties may be performed in three ways, to be decided on making entry:

1. Three years' cultivation and residence, during which period the settler may not be absent for more than six months in any one year without forfeiting the entry.

2. Residence for three years within two miles of the house and actual residence 3 months in a habitable house, or a prairie equivalent, 3 months in a timbered house. Ten acres must be broken the first year after entry, 15 acres additional in the second and 15 in the third year; 10 acres to be in crop the second year, and 25 acres the third year.

3. A settler may reside anywhere for the first two years, provided he is engaged in agriculture, and breaking lands and breaking additional land, in building a habitable house. The entry is forfeited if residence is not commenced at the expiration of 2 years from date of entry. Thereafter the settler must reside upon and cultivate his homestead for at least six months in each year for three years.

## APPLICATION FOR PATENT

may be made before the local agent, or any home-stead inspector.

See Mr. Nicoll's Notice Must be Given in Writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands by a letter of his Intention Prior to Making Application for Patent.

PRE-EMPTIONS are by law ABOLISHED, and may not be entered for after 1st January, 1890.

A Second Homestead.

may be taken by anyone who has performed the duties to entitle him to a certificate of recommendation first homestead on or prior to the second of June.

Forfeited or cancelled Pre-Emptions may be taken as second homesteads.

All communications having reference to lands under control of the Dominion Government, lying between the eastern boundary of Manitoba and the Pacific Coast should be addressed to.

H. H. SMITH,  
Commissioner of Dominion Lands, Winnipegan.

DRESS MAKING.

Miss Armstrong late of Vancouver has opened up business over John Cameron's store, Jasper Avenue.

Having had fifteen years experience feels confident of being able to give satisfaction. Ladies give her a trial.

I hereby order that all creditors and persons

having claims against the Estate of the said Mortimer Cummings, deceased, late of the Settlement of Sturz River in the District of Alberta in the North-West Territories, Rancher who died on about the 12th day of February 1883, do send in their claims against the estate of the deceased to Messrs. Beck & McNamara of Edmonton, in the said District. Advocates for the said Edwin Aylmer Cummings and John Cameron have then notice to appear and upon their application for letters of Administration.

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I do hereby direct that this order shall be published in the newspaper once in each week for four successive weeks.

And notice is hereby given that the said Edwin Aylmer Cummings and John Cameron shall at liberty to distribute the assets of the deceased or any part thereof amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard to the fact only that the said Edwin Aylmer Cummings and John Cameron have then notice to appear and upon their application for letters of Administration.

They shall not be liable for the estate of any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claims the said Edwin Aylmer Cummings and John Cameron shall not have notice at the time of the distribution of the said estate or any part thereof as aforesaid.

This notice is given in the Edmonton Bulletin;

I. C. F. STRANG,

Sec. Treas.

Dated this 9th day of August, A. D. 1893.

CHAS. B. BOLEAU,  
J. S. C.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

**T**HE BULLETIN is for sale at F. D. Fortin's Book and Stationery store.

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DONALD ROSS.

**T**ENDERS WANTED for the erection of a Brick Building on Jasper Avenue for S. S. Taylor Esq. Plans, specifications and conditions to be seen at the office of EDMONTON & FLATER, Architects, Imperial Bank Block, on Thursday the 7th of September.

**L**OST from Stony Plain on the 2nd of Sept. one Roan Mare with white face and feet, branded on both shoulders and near hip, has rope on neck. \$5.00 reward will be paid for return of mare to L. Gosselin's survey Camp, Stony Plain.

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TERMS CASH. L. MORET.

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**P**. H. HEIMINCK & CO., REAL ESTATE.

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